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April 30, 2013

The Honorable Board of Supervisors  
County of Los Angeles  
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration  
500 West Temple Street  
Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

**APPROVAL TO ACCEPT A NOTICE OF AWARD AND FUTURE AWARDS AND/OR  
AMENDMENTS FROM THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION FOR THE  
PERIOD OF JANUARY 1, 2013 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2017, AND APPROVE FIVE NEW  
POSITIONS TO SUPPORT HIV CASE AND INCIDENCE SURVEILLANCE  
(ALL SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS)  
(3 VOTES)**

## **SUBJECT**

Request approval to accept a Notice of Award and future awards and/or amendments from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and approve five new County positions, subject to allocation, for the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Case Surveillance and HIV Incidence Surveillance activities for the period of January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017.

## **IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE BOARD:**

1. Authorize and instruct the Director of the Department of Public Health (DPH), or his designee, to accept a Notice of Award (NA) Number 1U62PS003962-01 from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) (Exhibit I), consisting of \$993,926 in financial assistance (FA), representing 40 percent of the total estimated annual FA award of \$2,484,815, and \$6,000 in direct assistance (DA), for the budget period of January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013, to support HIV Case Surveillance and HIV Incidence Surveillance in Los Angeles County (County).
2. Delegate authority to the Director of DPH, or his designee, to accept future awards and/or amendments that are consistent with the requirements of the CDC's NA Number 1U62PS003962-01 that provide the balance of the award for grant year 2013 and extend the term through December 2017, at amounts to be determined by the CDC; reflect non-material and/or ministerial revisions to

the awards terms and conditions; allow for the rollover of unspent funds and/or redirection of funds; adjust the term of the award through June 30, 2018; and/or provide an increase or decrease in funding up to 25 percent above or below each grant term's annual base amount, subject to review and approval by County Counsel, and notification to your Board and the Chief Executive Office (CEO).

3. Approve five new Full Time Equivalent (FTE) positions, identified in Exhibit II, in excess of that which is provided for in the DPH staffing ordinance pursuant to Section 6.06.020 of the County Code, and subject to allocation by the CEO. These positions are 100 percent funded by funds from the CDC HIV/AIDS Surveillance, the National HIV Behavioral Surveillance (NHBS), and the Comprehensive HIV Prevention Project for Health Departments (CHPP) to support and implement the CDC's HIV/AIDS Surveillance and NHBS grant requirements.

### **PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION**

Approval of Recommendation 1 will allow DPH to accept the CDC NA Number 1U62PS003962-01 to support the provision of HIV Case Surveillance, HIV Incidence Surveillance, and, when funds become available, Molecular HIV Surveillance information to County and community-based organizations that provide HIV prevention and care services throughout the county. This recommended action will allow DPH to monitor the prevalence of both HIV risk factors and the utilization of HIV prevention and care services among populations who are at increased risk of infection.

Recommendation 2 will allow DPH to accept future awards and/or amendments that are consistent with the requirements of the current CDC award to provide the balance of the award for grant year 2013; extend and/or adjust the term of the award; reflect non-material revisions to terms and conditions; rollover unspent funds and/or redirect funds; and/or provide an increase or decrease in funding up to 25 percent above or below each grant term's annual base amount. This recommended action will enable DPH to accept awards and/or amendments that adjust the project period up to six months beyond the original term, in those instances where there has been an unanticipated extension in the term, to allow additional time to complete services and utilize grant funding. This authority is being requested to enhance DPH's efforts to expeditiously maximize grant revenue, consistent with Board Policy 4.070: Full Utilization of Grant Funds.

Recommendation 3 will authorize DPH to fill five positions identified in Exhibit II to support and implement the CDC's HIV/AIDS Surveillance and NHBS grant requirements. These five new County positions will be responsible for and assist in activities related to the oversight, support, coordination, and implementation of several CDC grant requirements for the Comprehensive HIV Prevention Project for Health Departments, HIV Surveillance Grant, and NHBS grant. In order to ensure timely compliance with these grant requirements, DPH may utilize the temporary personnel master agreements approved by your Board on October 19, 2010, pending allocation of the new County positions. These positions will be 100 percent funded by CDC.

### **Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals**

The recommended actions support Goal 3, Integrated Services Delivery, of the County's Strategic Plan

### **FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING**

DPH will accept CDC NA Number 1U62PS003962-01, consisting of \$993,926 in FA, representing 40 percent of the total estimated annual FA award of \$2,484,815, and \$6,000 in DA, for the budget period of January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013. The CDC is operating under Continuing Resolution Authority and, as a result, the total available funding for grant year 2013 is contingent upon approval of the federal appropriations bill. Of the \$993,926 currently available for grant year 2013, \$860,287 is for Case Surveillance and \$133,639 for Incidence Surveillance. These funds support staff salaries and employee benefits, equipment, supplies, travel, and indirect costs.

The salaries and employee benefits of the five new positions will be 100 percent offset by the following CDC grants: one Research Analyst (RA) II and one RA III will be supported through the CHPP grant approved by your Board on June 12, 2012; one RA I and one Senior Typist Clerk will be supported through the CDC HIV Surveillance grant outlined in Recommendation 1; and one RA I will be supported through the NHBS grant, approved by your Board on February 15, 2011. Upon Board approval, DPH will include the new positions in the CDC grant budgets for the corresponding grant terms and County Fiscal Years (FYs).

Funds are included in DPH's FY 2012-13 Final Adopted Budget and will be included in future FYs, as necessary.

There is no net County cost associated with this action.

### **FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS**

DPH has been collecting continuous surveillance data on HIV infected persons in the county since 2002 and on persons diagnosed with AIDS since 1982.

Since 2004, your Board has continuously approved the acceptance of CDC funds to support HIV/AIDS Surveillance activities in the county.

The overall goal of these surveillance projects is to maintain and supplement an existing HIV surveillance system for the purpose of meeting State-mandated HIV reporting requirements and monitoring long-term trends in the prevalence and incidence of HIV/AIDS and the prevalence of resistant HIV strains in the County.

On June 25, 2012, the CDC released Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) PS13-1302, National HIV Surveillance System. On July 31, 2012, DPH submitted an application in response to the FOA. DPH was notified in November 2012 of a forthcoming NA for 2013 funding, which was received on December 20, 2012.

Exhibit I has been reviewed and approved by County Counsel as to form. Exhibit II is the list of new County positions. Attachment A is the Grant Management Statement for grants exceeding \$100,000.

### **IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)**

Approval of the recommended actions will allow DPH to continue to monitor long-term trends in

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the incidence and prevalence of HIV and AIDS in the county and to monitor the prevalence of both HIV risk factors and the utilization of HIV prevention and care services among populations who are at increased risk of infection.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jonathan E. Fielding". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

JONATHAN E. FIELDING, M.D., M.P.H.

Director and Health Officer

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Enclosures



**COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS**  
Department of Health and Human Services  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
NATIONAL CENTER FOR HIV, VIRAL HEPATITIS, STDS AND TB PREVENTION

Notice of Award

Issue Date: 12/20/2012

**Grant Number:** 1U62PS003962-01**Principal Investigator(s):**

Douglas M. Frye, MD

**Project Title:** HIV Case Surveillance and HIV Incidence Surveillance for Los Angeles County

DOUGLAS FRYE  
HIV SURVEILLANCE COORDINATOR/ CHIEF, HIV EPI  
600 S. COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, SUITE 1920  
LOS ANGELES, CA 90005

**Award e-mailed to:** tduenas@ph.lacounty.gov**Budget Period:** 01/01/2013 – 12/31/2013**Project Period:** 01/01/2013 – 12/31/2017

Dear Business Official:

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention hereby awards a grant in the amount of \$993,926 (see "Award Calculation" in Section I and "Terms and Conditions" in Section III) to LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH in support of the above referenced project. This award is pursuant to the authority of 307,317K2 PHSA, 42USC241, 247BK2, PL108 and is subject to the requirements of this statute and regulation and of other referenced, incorporated or attached terms and conditions.

Acceptance of this award including the "Terms and Conditions" is acknowledged by the grantee when funds are drawn down or otherwise obtained from the grant payment system.

If you have any questions about this award, please contact the individual(s) referenced in Section IV.

Sincerely yours,

Barbara R. Benyard  
Grants Management Officer  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Additional information follows

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**SECTION I – AWARD DATA – 1U62PS003962-01**

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**Award Calculation (U.S. Dollars)**

Safarics and Wages	\$529,456
Fringe Benefits	\$239,201
Personnel Costs (Subtotal)	\$768,657
Supplies	\$9,854
Travel Costs	\$9,960
Other Costs	\$42,500
Consortium/Contractual Cost	\$27,614

Federal Direct Costs	\$858,585
Federal F&A Costs	\$135,341
Approved Budget	\$993,926
Federal Share	\$993,926
<b>TOTAL FEDERAL AWARD AMOUNT</b>	<b>\$993,926</b>

<b>AMOUNT OF THIS ACTION (FEDERAL SHARE)</b>	<b>\$993,926</b>
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Recommended future year total cost support, subject to the availability of funds and satisfactory progress of the project.

02	\$2,484,815
03	\$2,484,815
04	\$2,484,815
05	\$2,484,815

**Fiscal Information:**

CFDA Number: 93.944

EIN: 1956000927A1

Document Number: UPS003962A

IC	CAN	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
PS	9391154	\$860,287	\$2,484,815	\$2,484,815	\$2,484,815	\$2,484,815
PS	9391155	\$133,639				

SUMMARY TOTALS FOR ALL YEARS		
YR	THIS AWARD	CUMULATIVE TOTALS
1	\$993,926	\$993,926
2	\$2,484,815	\$2,484,815
3	\$2,484,815	\$2,484,815
4	\$2,484,815	\$2,484,815
5	\$2,484,815	\$2,484,815

Recommended future year total cost support, subject to the availability of funds and satisfactory progress of the project

**CDC Administrative Data:**

PCC: N / OC: 4141 / Processed: ERAAPPS 12/20/2012

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**SECTION II – PAYMENT/HOTLINE INFORMATION – 1U62PS003962-01**

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For payment information see Payment Information section in Additional Terms and Conditions.

INSPECTOR GENERAL: The HHS Office Inspector General (OIG) maintains a toll-free number (1-800-HHS-TIPS [1-800-447-8477]) for receiving information concerning fraud, waste or abuse under grants and cooperative agreements. Information also may be submitted by e-mail to [hhstips@oig.hhs.gov](mailto:hhstips@oig.hhs.gov) or by mail to Office of the Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, Attn: HOTLINE, 330 Independence Ave., SW, Washington DC 20201. Such reports are treated as sensitive material and submitters may decline to give their names if they

choose to remain anonymous. This note replaces the Inspector General contact information cited in previous notice of award.

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### **SECTION III – TERMS AND CONDITIONS – 1U62PS003962-01**

This award is based on the application submitted to, and as approved by, CDC on the above-titled project and is subject to the terms and conditions incorporated either directly or by reference in the following:

- a. The grant program legislation and program regulation cited in this Notice of Award.
- b. The restrictions on the expenditure of federal funds in appropriations acts to the extent those restrictions are pertinent to the award.
- c. 45 CFR Part 74 or 45 CFR Part 92 as applicable.
- d. The HS Grants Policy Statement, including addenda in effect as of the beginning date of the budget period.
- e. This award notice, INCLUDING THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS CITED BELOW.

This award is funded by the following list of institutes. Any papers published under the auspices of this award must cite the funding support of all institutes.

National Center For Hiv, Viral Hepatitis, Stds And Tb Prevention (PS)

**Treatment of Program Income:**  
Additional Costs

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### **SECTION IV – PS Special Terms and Conditions – 1U62PS003962-01**

Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) Number: PS13-1302

Award Number: 1 U62 PS003962-01

Grantee Name: LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPT

#### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS AWARD**

**NOTE 1. INCORPORATION:** The application dated 7/31/2012 in response to Funding Opportunity Announcement Number PS13-1302 entitled, NATIONAL HIV SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM (NHSS), as amended, and revised budget received 11/13/2012, is made a part of this Non-Research award by reference.

#### **NOTE 2. APPROVED FUNDING:**

CDC is operating under a continuing resolution and as a result the total available funding for the FY 2013 twelve month budget period (January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013), is contingent on the approval of the appropriation bill. Your anticipated 12 month budget amount is \$2,484,815 Financial Assistance (FA) and \$6,000 Direct Assistance (DA). All funding for future years will be based on satisfactory programmatic progress and the availability of funds. This award reflects 40% of your anticipated total 12 month budget for the Financial Assistance (FA). Therefore, the amount of \$996,326 in FA is awarded in the following components.

Case Surveillance \$860,287  
Incidence \$133,639

**NOTE 2A. DEFERRED APPROVED FUNDING: (ONLY INCLUDE IF FUNDS HAVE BEEN APPROVED, BUT FUNDS ARE NOT AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME) Optional Activities:**

Molecular HIV Surveillance (MHS), \$79,035

**NOTE 2B. DIRECT ASSISTANCE:** A personnel category for Direct Assistance in the amount of \$6,000 is awarded for the period of 1/1/2013 thru 12/31/2013.

**NOTE 3. INDIRECT COSTS:** Indirect costs are approved based on the Indirect Cost Rate Agreement dated 05/18/2012, which calculates indirect costs as follows, a Provisional rate is approved at a rate of 25.562% of the base.

**NOTE 4. RENT OR SPACE COSTS:** Recipients are responsible for ensuring that all costs included in this proposal to establish billing or final indirect cost rates are allowable in accordance with the requirements of the Federal award(s) to which they apply and 2 CFR Part 225, Cost Principles for State, Local, and Indian Tribal Governments (OMB Circular A-87). The recipient also has a responsibility to ensure sub-recipients expend funds in compliance with federal laws and regulations. Furthermore, it is the responsibility of the recipient to ensure rent is a legitimate direct cost line item which the recipient has supported in current and/or prior projects and these same costs have been treated as indirect costs that have not been claimed as direct costs. If rent is claimed as direct cost, the recipient must provide a narrative justification which describes their prescribed policy to include the effective date to the assigned Grants Management Specialist noted in Section IV. Staff Contacts.

**NOTE 5. FEDERAL INFORMATION SECURITY MANAGEMENT ACT (FISMA):**

All information systems, electronic or hard copy which contain federal data need to be protected from unauthorized access. This also applies to information associated with CDC grants. Congress and the OMB have instituted laws, policies and directives that govern the creation and implementation of federal information security practices that pertain specifically to grants and contracts. The current regulations are pursuant to the Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA), Title III of the E-Government Act of 2002 Pub. L. No. 107-347.

FISMA applies to CDC grantees only when grantees collect, store, process, transmit or use information on behalf of HHS or any of its component organizations. In all other cases, FISMA is not applicable to recipients of grants, including cooperative agreements. Under FISMA, the grantee retains the original data and intellectual property, and is responsible for the security of this data, subject to all applicable laws protecting security, privacy, and research. If and when information collected by a grantee is provided to HHS, responsibility for the protection of the HHS copy of the information is transferred to HHS and it becomes the agency's responsibility to protect that information and any derivative copies as required by FISMA. For the full text of the requirements under Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA), Title III of the E-Government Act of 2002 Pub. L. No. 107-347, please review the following website:

[http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=107\\_cong\\_public\\_laws&docid=f:publ347.107.pdf](http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=107_cong_public_laws&docid=f:publ347.107.pdf)

**NOTE 6. FEDERAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

**CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION AND UNIVERSAL IDENTIFIER REQUIREMENTS:**

All applicant organizations must obtain a DUN and Bradstreet (D&B) Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number as the Universal Identifier when applying for Federal grants or cooperative agreements. The DUNS number is a nine-digit number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet Information Services. An AOR should be consulted to determine the appropriate number. If the organization does not have a DUNS number, an AOR should complete the US D&B D-U-N-S Number Request Form or contact Dun and Bradstreet by telephone directly at 1-866-705-5711 (toll-free) to obtain one. A DUNS number will be provided immediately by telephone at no charge. Note this is an organizational number. Individual Program Directors/Principal Investigators do not need to register for a DUNS.

Additionally, all applicant organizations must register in the Central Contractor Registry (CCR) and maintain the registration with current information at all times during which it has an application under consideration for funding by CDC and, if an award is made, until a final financial report is submitted or the final payment is received, whichever is later. CCR is the primary registrant database for the Federal government and is the repository into which an entity must provide information required for the conduct of business as a recipient. Additional information about registration procedures may be found at the CCR internet site at [www.ccr.gov](http://www.ccr.gov). If an award is granted, the grantee organization must notify potential sub-recipients that no organization may receive a subaward under the grant unless the organization has provided its DUNS number to the grantee organization.

**FEDERAL FUNDING ACCOUNTABILITY and TRANSPARENCY (FFATA):**

Place an "X" below to indicate whether or not the FFATA requirement applies to this award:

- ( X ) FFATA DOES APPLY. THE GRANTEE MUST FOLLOW THIS SECTION  
( ) FFATA DOES NOT APPLY - THE GRANTEE MAY SKIP THIS SECTION



Pursuant to A-133 (see Sec. \_\_\_\_205(h) and Sec. \_\_\_\_205(i)), a grant sub-award includes the provision of any commodities (food and non-food) to the sub-recipient where the sub-recipient is required to abide by terms and conditions regarding the use or future administration of those goods. If the sub-awardee merely consumes or utilizes the goods, the commodities are not in and of themselves considered sub-awards.

In accordance with 2 CFR Chapter 1, Part 170 REPORTING SUB-AWARD AND EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION INFORMATION, Prime Awardees awarded a federal grant are required to file a FFATA sub-award report by the end of the month following the month in which the prime awardee awards any sub-grant equal to or greater than \$25,000.

**A. Reporting of first-tier subawards.**

1. **Applicability.** Unless you are exempt as provided in paragraph D. of this award term, you must report each action that obligates \$25,000 or more in Federal funds that does not include Recovery funds (as defined in section 1512(a)(2) of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub. L. 111-5) for a subaward to an entity (see definitions in paragraph E. of this award term).

**2. Where and when to report.**

i. You must report each obligating action described in paragraph A.1. of this award term to <http://www.fsrs.gov>.

ii. For subaward information, report no later than the end of the month following the month in which the obligation was made. (For example, if the obligation was made on November 7, 2010, the obligation must be reported by no later than December 31, 2010).

3. **What to report.** You must report the information about each obligating action that the submission instructions posted at <http://www.fsrs.gov> specify.

**B. Reporting Total Compensation of Recipient Executives.**

1. **Applicability and what to report.** You must report total compensation for each of your five most highly compensated executives for the preceding completed fiscal year, if-

- i. The total Federal funding authorized to date under this award is \$25,000 or more;
- ii. In the preceding fiscal year, you received-

(a) 80 percent or more of your annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined at 2 CFR 170.320 (and subawards); and

(b) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined at 2 CFR 170.320 (and subawards); and

iii. The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. (To determine if the public has access to the compensation information, see the U.S. Security and Exchange Commission total compensation filings at <http://www.sec.gov/answers/excomp.htm>).

2. **Where and when to report.** You must report executive total compensation described in paragraph A.1. of this award term:

- i. As part of your registration profile at <http://www.ccr.gov>.
- ii. By the end of the month following the month in which this award is made, and annually thereafter.

**C. Reporting of Total Compensation of Subrecipient Executives.**

1. **Applicability and what to report.** Unless you are exempt as provided in paragraph D. of this award term, for each first-tier subrecipient under this award, you shall report the names and total

compensation of each of the subrecipient's five most highly compensated executives for the subrecipient's preceding completed fiscal year, if-

i. In the subrecipient's preceding fiscal year, the subrecipient received-

(a) 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined at 2 CFR 170.320 (and subawards); and

(b) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts), and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act (and subawards); and

ii. The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. (To determine if the public has access to the compensation information, see the U.S. Security and Exchange Commission total compensation filings at <http://www.sec.gov/answers/execomp.htm>).

2. Where and when to report. You must report subrecipient executive total compensation described in paragraph c.1. of this award term:

i. To the recipient.

ii. By the end of the month following the month during which you make the subaward. For example, if a subaward is obligated on any date during the month of October of a given year (i.e., between October 1 and 31), you must report any required compensation information of the subrecipient by November 30 of that year.

#### D. Exemptions

If, in the previous tax year, you had gross income, from all sources, under \$300,000, you are exempt from the requirements to report:

i. Subawards, and

ii. The total compensation of the five most highly compensated executives of any subrecipient.

#### E. Definitions. For purposes of this award term:

1. Entity means all of the following, as defined in 2 CFR part 25:

i. A Governmental organization, which is a State, local government, or Indian tribe;

ii. A foreign public entity;

iii. A domestic or foreign nonprofit organization;

iv. A domestic or foreign for-profit organization;

v. A Federal agency, but only as a subrecipient under an award or subaward to a non-Federal entity.

2. Executive means officers, managing partners, or any other employees in management positions.

3. Subaward:

i. This term means a legal instrument to provide support for the performance of any portion of the substantive project or program for which you received this award and that you as the recipient award to an eligible subrecipient.

ii. The term does not include your procurement of property and services needed to carry out the project or program (for further explanation, see Sec. \_\_\_\_210 of the attachment to OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations").

iii. A subaward may be provided through any legal agreement, including an agreement that you or a subrecipient considers a contract.

4. Subrecipient means an entity that:

- i. Receives a subaward from you (the recipient) under this award; and
- ii. Is accountable to you for the use of the Federal funds provided by the subaward.

5. Total compensation means the cash and noncash dollar value earned by the executive during the recipient's or subrecipient's preceding fiscal year and includes the following (for more information see 17 CFR 229.402(c)(2)):

- i. Salary and bonus.
- ii. Awards of stock, stock options, and stock appreciation rights. Use the dollar amount recognized for financial statement reporting purposes with respect to the fiscal year in accordance with the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123 (Revised 2004) (FAS 123R), Shared Based Payments.
- iii. Earnings for services under non-equity incentive plans. This does not include group life, health, hospitalization or medical reimbursement plans that do not discriminate in favor of executives, and are available generally to all salaried employees.
- iv. Change in pension value. This is the change in present value of defined benefit and actuarial pension plans.
- v. Above-market earnings on deferred compensation which is not tax-qualified.
- vi. Other compensation, if the aggregate value of all such other compensation (e.g. severance, termination payments, value of life insurance paid on behalf of the employee, perquisites or property) for the executive exceeds \$10,000.

#### NON-DELINQUENCY on FEDERAL DEBT

The Federal Debt Collection Procedures Act of 1990 (Act), 28 U.S.C. 3201(e), provides that an organization or individual that is indebted to the United States, and has a judgment lien filed against it, is ineligible to receive a Federal grant. CDC cannot award a grant unless the AOR of the applicant organization (or individual in the case of a Kirschstein-NRSA individual fellowship) certifies, by means of his/her signature on the application, that the organization (or individual) is not delinquent in repaying any Federal debt. If the applicant discloses delinquency on a debt owed to the Federal government, CDC may not award the grant until the debt is satisfied or satisfactory arrangements are made with the agency to which the debt is owed. In addition, once the debt is repaid or satisfactory arrangements made, CDC will take that delinquency into account when determining whether the applicant would be a responsible CDC grant recipient.

Anyone who has been judged to be in default on a Federal debt and who has had a judgment lien filed against him or her should not be listed as a participant in an application for a CDC grant until the judgment is paid in full or is otherwise satisfied. No funds may be used for or rebudgeted following an award to pay such an individual. CDC will disallow costs charged to awards that provide funds to individuals in violation of this Act.

These requirements apply to all types of organizations and awards, including foreign grants

#### ANNUAL FEDERAL FINANCIAL REPORT (FFR)(SF 425):

The Annual Federal Financial Report (FFR) SF 425 is required and must be submitted through eRA Commons within 90 days after the end of each budget period. The FFR for this budget period is due to the Grants Management Specialist by 03/31/2014. Reporting timeframe is January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013.

The FFR should only include those funds authorized and disbursed during the timeframe covered by the report. The final FFR must indicate the exact balance of unobligated funds and may not reflect any unliquidated obligations. There must be no discrepancies between the final FFR expenditure data and the Payment Management System's (PMS) cash transaction data.

Failure to submit the required information in a timely manner may adversely affect the future funding of this project. If the information cannot be provided by the due date, you are required to submit a letter explaining the reason and date by which the Grants Officer will receive the information.

eRa Commons website: <http://era.nih.gov/>

If the FFR is not finalized by the due date, an interim FFR must be submitted, marked NOT FINAL, and an amount of un-liquidated obligations should be annotated to reflect unpaid expenses. Electronic versions of the form can be downloaded into Adobe Acrobat and completed on-line by reviewing,

[http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/grants\\_forms/SF-425.pdf](http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/omb/assets/grants_forms/SF-425.pdf)

#### PROGRESS/PERFORMANCE REPORTING:

##### INTERIM PROGRESS REPORT (IPR)

The Interim Progress Report (IPR) will serve as the non-competing continuation application. IPR reporting timeframe is January 1, 2013 through June 30, 2013. A due date and specific IPR guidance will be provided at a later date.

The report must contain the following:

- Status/Progress of Current Budget Period Goals and Objectives
- Also include key organizational changes, key staff changes, and an implementation plan for each activity.
- Current Budget Period Financial Progress and amount of estimated unobligated balances
- New Budget Period Program Proposed Activity Objectives and timelines
- Ensure Objectives are specific, measurable, appropriate, realistic, and time-phased.
- Measures of Effectiveness.
- Additional requested information.
- Detailed Line-Item Budget and Justification.
- Use the SF424 forms: [http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/grants/grants\\_forms.html](http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/grants/grants_forms.html)
- For the Budget details and justification follow the Budget Guidelines at:  
<http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/grantmain.htm>

##### ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT (APR)

Due 90 days following the end of the budget period, March 31, 2014. Report should include:

- A comparison of actual accomplishments to the goal established for the period;
- The reasons for failure, if established goals were not met; and
- Other pertinent information including, when appropriate, analysis and explanation of performance costs significantly higher than expected.

The Final Progress Report is required no later than 90 days after the end of the project period. All manuscripts published as a result of the work supported in part or whole by the cooperative agreement will be submitted with the progress reports.

An original plus two copies of the reports must be mailed to the Grants Management Specialist for approval by the Grants Management Officer by the due date noted. Ensure the Award and Funding Opportunity Announcement numbers shown above are on the reports

**NOTE 7. STRUCTURAL REVIEW FORM RESPONSE REQUIREMENT:** The structural review form comments on the strengths and weaknesses of the proposal are provided as part of this award. A response to the weaknesses in these statements must be submitted to and approved, in writing, by the Grants Management Specialist as noted in the CDC Contact section of this Notice of Award, not later than February 1, 2013. Should these terms not be satisfactorily adhered to, it may result in denial of your authority to expend additional funds.

**NOTE 8. AUDIT REQUIREMENT:** An organization that expends \$500,000 or more in a year in Federal awards shall have a single or program-specific audit conducted for that year in accordance with the provisions of OMB Circular A-133, Audit of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. The audit must be completed along with a data collection form, and the reporting package shall be submitted within the earlier of 30 days after receipt of the auditor's report(s), or nine months after the end of the audit period.

The audit report must be sent to:  
Federal Audit Clearing House

Bureau of the Census  
1201 East 10th Street  
Jeffersonville, IN 47132

Should you have questions regarding the submission or processing of your Single Audit Package, contact the Federal Audit Clearinghouse at: (301) 763-1551, (800) 253-0696 or email: [govs.fac@census.gov](mailto:govs.fac@census.gov)

It is very helpful to CDC managers if the recipient sends a courtesy copy of completed audits and any management letters on a voluntary basis to the following address.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)  
ATTN: Audit Resolution, Mail Stop E-14  
2920 Brandywine Road  
Atlanta, GA 30341-4146

The grantee is to ensure that the sub-recipients receiving CDC funds also meet these requirements (if total Federal grant or cooperative agreement funds expended exceed \$500,000). The grantee must also ensure that appropriate corrective action is taken within six months after receipt of the sub-recipient audit report in instances of non-compliance with Federal law and regulations. The grantee is to consider whether sub-recipient audits necessitate adjustment of the grantee's own accounting records. If a sub-recipient is not required to have a program-specific audit, the Grantee is still required to perform adequate monitoring of sub-recipient activities. The grantee is to require each sub-recipient to permit independent auditors to have access to the sub-recipient's records and financial statements. The grantee should include this requirement in all sub-recipient contracts.

**NOTE 9. SUBGRANT/SUBRECIPIENT AWARDS:** Seed Grants/Sub-Grants are not authorized under this program or included in Program authorizing legislature. As a result, the recipient is not permitted to fund seed grants or sub-grants. Recipient must issue proposed funding as a procurement requirement per the organization's established procedures.

**NOTE 10. TRAVEL COST:** In accordance with Health and Human Services (HHS) Grants Policy Statement, travel costs are only allowable where such travel will provide direct benefit to the project or program. There must be a direct benefit imparted on behalf of the traveler as it applies to the approved activities of the Notice of Award. To prevent disallowance of cost, recipient is responsible for ensuring that only allowable travel reimbursements are applied in accordance with their organization's established travel policies and procedures. Recipients approved policies must meet the requirements of 45 CFR Parts 74 and 92 as applicable.

**NOTE 11. FOOD AND MEALS:** Costs associated with food or meals are allowable when consistent OMB Circulars and guidance, DHHS Federal regulations, Program Regulations, DHHS policies and guidance. In addition, costs must be proposed in accordance with recipients approved policies and a determination of reasonableness has been performed by the recipients. Recipients approved policies must meet the requirements of 45 CFR Parts 74 and 92 as applicable.

**NOTE 12. HIV PROGRAM REVIEW PANEL REQUIREMENT:** All written materials, audiovisual materials, pictorials, questionnaires, survey instruments, websites, educational curricula and other relevant program materials must be reviewed and approved by an established program review panel. A list of reviewed materials and approval dates must be submitted to the CDC Grants Management Specialist.

**NOTE 13. PRIOR APPROVAL:** All requests, which require prior approval, must bear the signature of an authorized official of the business office of the grantee organization as well as the principal investigator or program or project director named on this notice of award. The request must be submitted no later than 120 days prior to the end date of the current budget period and submitted with an original plus two copies. Any requests received that reflect only one signature will be returned to the grantee unprocessed. Additionally, any requests involving funding issues must include an itemized budget and a narrative justification of the request.

Prior approval is required but is not limited to the following types of requests: 1) Use of unobligated funds from prior budget period (Carryover); 2) Lift funding restriction, withholding, or disallowance, 3) Redirection of funds, 4) Change in Contractor/Consultant; 5) Supplemental

funds; 6) Response to Technical Review or Summary Statement, 7) Change in Key Personnel, or 8) Liquidation Extensions.

**NOTE 14. CORRESPONDENCE:** ALL correspondence (including emails and faxes) regarding this award must be dated, identified with the AWARD NUMBER, and include a point of contact (name, phone, fax, and email). All correspondence should be addressed to the Grants Management Specialist listed below and submitted with an original plus two copies.

Merlin Williams, Grants Management Specialist  
Centers for Disease Control, PGO, Branch 1  
2920 Brandywine Road, Mail Stop E-15  
Atlanta, GA 30341-4146  
Telephone: (770) 488-2851  
Fax: (770) 488-2868  
Email: mqw6@cdc.gov

**NOTE 15. INVENTIONS:** Acceptance of grant funds obligates recipients to comply with the standard patent rights clause in 37 CFR 401.14.

**NOTE 16. PUBLICATIONS:** Publications, journal articles, etc. produced under a CDC grant support project must bear an acknowledgment and disclaimer, as appropriate, for example:

This publication (journal article, etc.) was supported by the Cooperative Agreement Number above from The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Its contents are solely the responsibility of the authors and do not necessarily represent the official views of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

**NOTE 17. CANCEL YEAR.** 31 U.S.C. 1552(a) Procedure for Appropriation Accounts Available for Definite Periods states the following, On September 30th of the 5th fiscal year after the period of availability for obligation of a fixed year appropriation account ends, the account shall be closed and any remaining balances (whether obligated or unobligated) in the account shall be canceled and thereafter shall not be available for obligation or expenditure for any purpose. An example is provided below:

FY 2005 funds will expire September 30, 2010. All FY 2005 funds should be drawn down and reported to Payment Management System (PMS) prior to September 30, 2010. After this date, corrections or cash requests will not be permitted.

**NOTE 18. CONFERENCE DISCLAIMER AND USE OF LOGOS:**

Disclaimer. If a conference is funded by a grant, cooperative agreement, sub-grant and/or a contract the recipient must include the following statement on conference materials, including promotional materials, agenda, and internet sites:

Funding for this conference was made possible (in part) by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The views expressed in written conference materials or publications and by speakers and moderators do not necessarily do not reflect the official policies of the Department of Health and Human Services, nor does the mention of trade names, commercial practices, or organizations imply endorsement by the U.S. Government.

Logos. Neither the HHS nor the CDC logo may be displayed if such display would cause confusion as to the conference source or give false appearance of Government endorsement. Use of the HHS name or logo is governed by U.S.C. 1320b-10, which prohibits misuse of the HHS name and emblem in written communication. A non-federal entity is unauthorized to use the HHS name or logo governed by U.S.C. 1320b-10. The appropriate use of the HHS logo is subject to review and approval of the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs (OASPA). Moreover, the Office of the Inspector General has authority to impose civil monetary penalties for violations (42 C.F.R. Part 1003). Neither the HHS nor the CDC logo can be used on conference materials, under a grant, cooperative agreement, and contract or co-sponsorship agreement without the expressed, written consent of either the Project Officer or the Grants Management Officer. It is the responsibility of the grantee (or recipient of funds under a cooperative agreement) to request consent for use of the logo in sufficient detail to ensure a complete depiction and disclosure of all uses of the Government logos. In all cases for utilization of Government logos, the grantee must ensure written consent is received from the Project Officer and/or the Grants Management Officer.

**NOTE 19. EQUIPMENT AND PRODUCTS:** To the greatest extent practicable, all equipment and products purchased with CDC funds should be American-made. CDC defines equipment as tangible non-expendable personal property (including exempt property) charged directly to an award having a useful life of more than one year AND an acquisition cost of \$5,000 or more per unit. However, consistent with recipient policy, a lower threshold may be established. Please provide the information to the Grants Management Officer to establish a lower equipment threshold to reflect your organization's policy.

The grantee may use its own property management standards and procedures provided it observes provisions of the following sections in the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-110 and 45 CFR Part 92:

i. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-110, Sections 31 through 37 provides the uniform administrative requirements for grants and agreements with institutions of higher education, hospitals, and other non-profit organizations. For additional information, please review the following website: <http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars/a110/a110.html>

ii. 45 CFR Parts 92.31 and 92.32 provides the uniform administrative requirements for grants and cooperative agreements to state, local and tribal governments. For additional information, please review the following website listed:  
[http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx\\_03/45cfr92\\_03.html](http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx_03/45cfr92_03.html)

**NOTE 20. PROGRAM INCOME:** Any program income generated under this cooperative agreement will be used in accordance with the additional cost alternative. The disposition of program income must have written prior approval from the Grants Management Officer.

**Additional Costs Alternative--**Used for costs that are in addition to the allowable costs of the project for any purposes that further the objectives of the legislation under which the cooperative agreement was made. General program income subject to this alternative shall be reported on the FFR, as appropriate.

**NOTE 21. KEY PERSONNEL:** In accordance with 45 CFR 92, CDC recipients shall obtain prior approvals from CDC for (1) change in the project director or principal investigator or other key persons specified in the application or award document, and (2) the absence for more than three months, or a 25 percent reduction in time devoted to the project, by the approved project director or principal investigator.

**NOTE 22. TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS.** This award is subject to the requirements of Section 106 (g) of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000, as amended (22 U.S.C. 7104). For the full text of the award terms and conditions, please review the following website:  
[http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/grants/Award\\_Term\\_and\\_Condition\\_for\\_Trafficking\\_in\\_Persons.shtm](http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/grants/Award_Term_and_Condition_for_Trafficking_in_Persons.shtm)

**NOTE 23. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF FEDERAL SUPPORT:** When issuing statements, press releases, requests for proposals, bid solicitations and other documents describing projects or programs funded in whole or in part with Federal money, all awardees receiving Federal funds, including and not limited to State and local governments and recipients of Federal research grants, shall clearly state (1) the percentage of the total costs of the program or project which will be financed with Federal money, (2) the dollar amount of Federal funds for the project or program, and (3) percentage and dollar amount of the total costs of the project or program that will be financed by nongovernmental sources.

**NOTE 24. Lobbying Restrictions (June 2012)**

Applicants should be aware that award recipients are prohibited from using CDC/HHS funds to engage in any lobbying activity. Specifically, no part of the federal award shall be used to pay the salary or expenses of any grant recipient, subrecipient, or agent acting for such recipient or subrecipient, related to any activity designed to influence the enactment of legislation, appropriations, regulation, administrative action, or Executive order proposed or pending before the Congress or any state government, state legislature or local legislature or legislative body.

Restrictions on lobbying activities described above also specifically apply to lobbying related to any proposed, pending, or future Federal, state, or local tax increase, or any proposed, pending,

or future requirement or restriction on any legal consumer product, including its sale or marketing, including but not limited to the advocacy or promotion of gun control.

This prohibition includes grass roots lobbying efforts by award recipients that are directed at inducing members of the public to contact their elected representatives to urge support of, or opposition to, proposed or pending legislation, appropriations, regulations, administrative actions, or Executive Orders (hereinafter referred to collectively as "legislation and other orders"). Further prohibited grass roots lobbying communications by award recipients using federal funds could also encompass any effort to influence legislation through an attempt to affect the opinions of the general public or any segment of the population if the communications refer to specific legislation and/or other orders, directly express a view on such legislation or other orders, and encourage the audience to take action with respect to the matter.

In accordance with applicable law, direct lobbying communications by award recipients are also prohibited. Direct lobbying includes any attempt to influence legislative or other similar deliberations at all levels of government through communications that directly express a view on proposed or pending legislation and other orders and which are directed to members, staff, or other employees of a legislative body or to government officials or employees who participate in the formulation of legislation or other orders.

Lobbying prohibitions also extend to include CDC/HHS grants and cooperative agreements that, in whole or in part, involve conferences. Federal funds cannot be used directly or indirectly to encourage participants in such conferences to impermissibly lobby.

However, these prohibitions are not intended to prohibit all interaction with the legislative or executive branches of governments, or to prohibit educational efforts pertaining to public health that are within the scope of the CDC award. For state, local, and other governmental grantees, certain activities falling within the normal and recognized executive-legislative relationships or participation by an agency or officer of a state, local, or tribal government in policymaking and administrative processes within the executive branch of that government are permissible. There are circumstances for such grantees, in the course of such a normal and recognized executive-legislative relationship, when it is permissible to provide information to the legislative branch in order to foster implementation of prevention strategies to promote public health. However, such communications cannot directly urge the decision makers to act with respect to specific legislation or expressly solicit members of the public to contact the decision makers to urge such action.

Many non-profit grantees, in order to retain their tax-exempt status, have long operated under settled definitions of "lobbying" and "influencing legislation." These definitions are a useful benchmark for all non-government grantees, regardless of tax status. Under these definitions, grantees are permitted to (1) prepare and disseminate certain nonpartisan analysis, study, or research reports; (2) engage in examinations and discussions of broad social, economic, and similar problems in reports and at conferences; and (3) provide technical advice or assistance upon a written request by a legislative body or committee.

Award recipients should also note that using CDC/HHS funds to develop and/or disseminate materials that exhibit all three of the following characteristics are prohibited: (1) refer to specific legislation or other order; (2) reflect a point of view on that legislation or other order; and (3) contain an overt call to action.

It remains permissible for CDC/HHS grantees to use CDC funds to engage in activities to enhance prevention; collect and analyze data; publish and disseminate results of research and surveillance data; implement prevention strategies; conduct community outreach services; foster coalition building and consensus on public health initiatives; provide leadership and training, and foster safe and healthful environments.

Note also that under the provisions of 31 U.S.C. Section 1352, recipients (and their sub-tier contractors and/or funded parties) are prohibited from using appropriated Federal funds to lobby in connection with the award, extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of the funding mechanism under which monetary assistance was received. In accordance with applicable regulations and law, certain covered entities must give assurances that they will not engage in prohibited activities.

CDC cautions recipients of CDC funds to be careful not to give the appearance that CDC funds are being used to carry out activities in a manner that is prohibited under Federal law. Recipients



of CDC funds should give close attention to isolating and separating the appropriate use of CDC funds from non-CDC funds.

Use of federal funds inconsistent with these lobbying restrictions could result in disallowance of the cost of the activity or action found not to be in compliance as well as potentially other enforcement actions as outlined in applicable grants regulations.

**NOTE 25. HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA):** Pursuant to the Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information promulgated under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)(45 CFR Parts 160 and 164) covered entities may disclose protected health information to public health authorities authorized by law to collect or receive such information for the purpose of preventing or controlling disease, injury, or disability, including, but not limited to, the reporting of disease, injury, vital events such as birth or death, and the conduct of public health surveillance, public health investigations, and public health interventions.. The definition of a public health authority includes a person or entity acting under a grant of authority from or contract with such public agency. Through this agreement, the recipient is acting under a grant of authority from CDC to carry out NATIONAL HIV SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM (NHSS) which is authorized under Sections 317(k) (2) and 318(c) of the Public Health Service Act [42 U.S.C. Sections 247b (k) (2) and 247c(c)], as amended. The CDC grants this authority to the recipient for purposes of this project. Further, CDC considers this to be HIV AIDS surveillance for which disclosure of protected health information by covered entities is authorized by section 164.512(b)).

**NOTE 26. PAYMENT INFORMATION:**

Automatic Drawdown (Direct/Advance Payments):

**PAYMENT INFORMATION:** Payment under this award will be made available through the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Payment Management System (PMS). PMS will forward instructions for obtaining payments.

a.) PMS correspondence, mailed through the U.S. Postal Service, should be addressed as follows:

Director, Division of Payment Management, OS/ASAM/PSC/FMS/DPM  
P.O. Box 6021  
Rockville, MD 20852

Phone Number: (877) 614-5533

Email: [PMSSupport@psc.gov](mailto:PMSSupport@psc.gov)

Website: [http://www.dpm.psc.gov/grant\\_recipient/shortcuts/shortcuts.aspx?explorer.event=true](http://www.dpm.psc.gov/grant_recipient/shortcuts/shortcuts.aspx?explorer.event=true)

b.) If a carrier other than the U.S. Postal Service is used, such as United Parcel Service, Federal Express, or other commercial service, the correspondence should be addressed as follows:

US Department of Health and Human Services  
PSC/DFO/Division of Payment Management  
7700 Wisconsin Avenue - 10th Floor  
Bethesda, MD 20814

To expedite your first payment from this award, attach a copy of the Notice of Grant/Cooperative Agreement to your payment request form.

**NOTE 27. ACCEPTANCE OF THE TERMS OF AN AWARD:** By drawing or otherwise obtaining funds from the grant payment system, the recipient acknowledges acceptance of the terms and conditions of the award as set forth here and in the Funding Opportunity Announcement Number PS13-1302 entitled, NATIONAL HIV SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM (NHSS) is obligated to perform in accordance with the terms and conditions of the award. If the recipient cannot accept the terms and conditions, the recipient should notify the Grants Management Officer.

**NOTE 28. CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:** By drawing down funds, Awardee certifies that proper financial management controls and accounting systems to include personnel policies and procedures have been established to adequately administer Federal awards and funds drawn down are being used in accordance with applicable Federal cost principles, regulations and Budget and Congressional intent of the President.

## NOTE 29. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

The Additional Requirements that apply to this grant or cooperative agreement are indicated below. The full text of the Additional Requirements may be found on the CDC web site at: [http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/grants/additional\\_req.shtm](http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/grants/additional_req.shtm).

- AR-4 HIV/AIDS Confidentiality Provisions
  - AR-5 HIV Program Review Panel Requirements
  - AR-7 Executive Order 12372
  - AR-8 Public Health System Reporting Requirements
  - AR-9 Paperwork Reduction Act Requirements
  - AR-10 Smoke-Free Workplace Requirements
  - AR-11 Healthy People 2020
  - AR-12 Lobbying Restrictions
  - AR-13 Prohibition on Use of CDC Funds for Certain Gun Control Activities
  - AR-14 Accounting System Requirements
  - AR-21 Small, Minority, and Women-Owned Business
  - AR-23 States and Faith-Based Organizations
  - AR-24 Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act Requirements
  - AR-25 Release and Sharing of Data
  - AR-27 Conference Disclaimer and Use of Logos
  - AR-29 Compliance with E.O. 13513 Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging While Driving, October 1, 2009
  - AR-30 Information Letter 10-006. - Compliance with Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973
  - AR-32 Executive Order 131410: Promoting Quality and Efficient Health Care in Federal Government
  - \*AR-33 Plain Writing For information or training on health literacy, go to [www.cdc.gov/healthliteracy](http://www.cdc.gov/healthliteracy) or [www.plainlanguage.gov](http://www.plainlanguage.gov).
  - \*AR-34 Health Information Technology
- (\*Update to the additional requirements not listed in the original FOA)
- NOTE 30. FY 2012 Enacted General Provisions

The following provisions apply to grants, cooperative agreements and loans funded by the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Appropriations Act, Fiscal Year 2012, Public Law 112-74, and Fiscal Year 2012 funds transferred under the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, PL 111-148.

### General Provisions Title II

#### Section 203 - Cap on Researcher Salaries

None of the funds appropriated in this title shall be used to pay the salary of an individual, through a grant or other extramural mechanism, at a rate in excess of Executive Level II; reduced from \$199,700 to \$179,700 effective December 23, 2011.

\*\*\* NOTE 1: The salary limitation applies to all individuals directly or indirectly funded by the grant, not just researchers.

\*\*\* NOTE 2: Senior Executive Level II salary can be found at the Office of Personnel Management web site: <http://www.opm.gov/oca/12tables/indexSES.asp>

#### SALARY CAP LIMITATIONS:

Timeframe of Award: FY 12 awards issued on or before December 22, 2011, that have had no FY 12 funds obligated since December 23

Salary Cap: Executive Level I (\$199,700)

Program Action: None for current year. May adjust salary levels for future years to ensure no funds are awarded for salaries over the limit

Grantee Action: None for current year. Apply salary limit as specified in continuation guidance in future years. Carryover request may reflect salary limitations in affect at the time of award.

Timeframe of Award: FY 12 awards issued on or after December 23, 2011

Salary Cap: Executive Level II (\$179,700)

Program Action: Adjust salary levels for current and future years to ensure no funds are awarded for salaries over the limit

Grantee Action: Adjust salary levels for current and future years and re-budget funds freed as a result of the lower limit.

Timeframe of Award: Awards in previous fiscal years

Salary Cap: As specified in original award

Program Action: None

Grantee Action: None

#### Section 218 - Gun Control Prohibition

None of the funds made available in this title may be used, in whole or in part, to advocate or promote gun control.

#### Section 220 - Prevention Fund Reporting Requirements

(a) The Secretary shall establish a publicly accessible website to provide information regarding the uses of funds made available under section 4002 of Public Law 111-148.

(b) With respect to funds provided for fiscal year 2012, the Secretary shall include on the website established under subsection (a) at a minimum the following information:

(1) In the case of each transfer of funds under section 4002(c), a statement indicating the program or activity receiving funds, the operating division or office that will administer the funds, the planned uses of the funds, to be posted not later than the day after the transfer is made.

(2) Identification (along with a link to the full text) of each funding opportunity announcement, request for proposals for grants, cooperative agreements, or contracts intended to be awarded using such funds, to be posted not later than the day after the announcement or solicitation is issued.

(3) Identification of each grant, cooperative agreement, or contract with a value of \$25,000 or more awarded using such funds, including the purpose of the award and the identity of the recipient, to be posted not later than 5 days after the award is made.

(4) A report detailing the uses of all funds transferred under section 4002(c) during the fiscal year, to be posted not later than 90 days after the end of the fiscal year.

(5) Semi-annual reports from each entity awarded a grant, cooperative agreement, or contract from such funds with a value of \$25,000 or more, summarizing the activities undertaken and identifying any sub-grants or subcontracts awarded (including the purpose of the award and the identity of the recipient), to be posted not later than 30 days after the end of each 6-month period.

Recipients are responsible for contacting their HHS grant/program managers for any needed clarifications.

#### Responsibilities for Informing Sub-recipients:

(a) Recipients agree to separately identify to each sub-recipient, and document at the time of sub-award and at the time of disbursement of funds, the Federal award number, any special CFDA number assigned for 2012 PPHF fund purposes, and amount of PPHF funds.

(b) Recipients agree to separately identify to each sub-recipient, and document at the time of sub-award and at the time of disbursement of funds, the Federal award number, CFDA number, and amount of 2012 PPHF funds. When a recipient awards 2012 PPHF funds for an existing program, the information furnished to sub-recipients shall distinguish the sub-awards of incremental 2012 PPHF funds from regular sub-awards under the existing program.

#### Reporting Requirements under Section 203 of the 2012 Enacted Appropriations Bill for the Prevention and Public Health Fund, Public Law 111-5:

This award requires the recipient to complete projects or activities which are funded under the 2012 Prevention and Public Health Fund (PPHF) and to report on use of PPHF funds provided through this award. Information from these reports will be made available to the public.

Recipients awarded a grant, cooperative agreement, or contract from such funds with a value of \$25,000 or more shall produce reports on a semi-annual basis with a reporting cycle of January 1 - June 30 and July 1 - December 31; and email such reports (in 508 compliant format) to the CDC website (template and point of contact to be provided after award) no later than 20 calendar days after the end of each reporting period (i.e. July 20 and January 20, respectively). Recipient reports shall reference the notice of award number and title of the grant or cooperative agreement, and include a summary of the activities undertaken and identify any sub-grants or sub-contracts awarded (including the purpose of the award and the identity of the subrecipient).

#### General Provisions, Title V

##### Section 503 - Proper Use of Appropriations - Publicity and Propaganda [LOBBYING] FY2012 Enacted

(a) No part of any appropriation contained in this Act or transferred pursuant to section 4002 of Public Law 111-148 shall be used, other than for normal and recognized executive-legislative relationships, for publicity or propaganda purposes, for the preparation, distribution, or use of any kit, pamphlet, booklet, publication, electronic communication, radio, television, or video presentation designed to support or defeat the enactment of legislation before the Congress or any State or local legislature or legislative body, except in presentation of the Congress or any State or local legislature itself, or designed to support or defeat any proposed or pending regulation, administrative action, or order issued by the executive branch of any State or local government itself.

(b) No part of any appropriation contained in this Act or transferred pursuant to section 4002 of Public Law 111-148 shall be used to pay the salary or expenses of any grant or contract recipient, or agent acting for such recipient, related to any activity designed to influence the enactment of legislation, appropriations, regulation, administrative action, or Executive order proposed or pending before the Congress or any State government, State legislature or local legislature or legislative body, other than normal and recognized executive legislative relationships or participation by an agency or officer of an State, local or tribal government in policymaking and administrative processes within the executive branch of that government.

(c) The prohibitions in subsections (a) and (b) shall include any activity to advocate or promote any proposed, pending, or future Federal, State or local tax increase, or any proposed, pending, or future requirement or restriction on any legal consumer product, including its sale or marketing, including but not limited to the advocacy or promotion of gun control.

##### Section 253 - Needle Exchange

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, no funds appropriated in this Act shall be used to carry out any program of distributing sterile needles or syringes for the hypodermic injection of any illegal drug.

#### General Provisions, Title IV

##### Department of Agriculture's FY 2012 Title IV, Section 738 - Funding Prohibition - Restricts dealings with corporations with recent felonies

None of the funds made available by the Department of Agriculture's FY 2012 Title IV, Section 738 may be used to enter into a contract, memorandum of understanding, or cooperative agreement with, make a grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee to any corporation that was convicted (or had an officer or agent of such corporation acting on behalf of the corporation convicted) of a felony criminal violation under any Federal or State law within the preceding 24 months, where the awarding agency is aware of the conviction, unless the agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation, or such officer or agent, and made a determination that this further action is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government.

##### Department of Agriculture's FY 2012 Title IV, Section 739 - Limitation Re: Delinquent Tax Debts - Restricts dealings with corporations with unpaid federal tax liability

None of the funds made available by the Department of Agriculture's FY 2012 Title IV, Section 739 may be used to enter into a contract, memorandum of understanding, or cooperative agreement with, make a grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee to, any corporation that any -

unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability, where the awarding agency is aware of the unpaid tax liability, unless the agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation and made a determination that this further action is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government.

Department of the Interior's FY 12 Title IV, Section 433 - Funding Prohibition - Restricts dealings with corporations with recent felonies

None of the funds made available by the Department of the Interior's FY 12 Title IV, Section 433 may be used to enter into a contract, memorandum of understanding, or cooperative agreement with, make a grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee to, any corporation that was convicted (or had an officer or agent of such corporation acting on behalf of the corporation convicted) of a felony criminal violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24 months, where the awarding agency is aware of the conviction, unless the agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation, or such officer or agent and made a determination that further action is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government.

Department of the Interior's FY 12 Title IV, Section 434 - Limitation Re: Delinquent Tax Debts - Restricts dealings with corporations with unpaid federal tax liability

None of the funds made available by the Department of the Interior's FY 12 Title IV, Section 434 may be used to enter into a contract, memorandum of understanding, or cooperative agreement with, make a grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee to, any corporation with respect to which any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability, unless the agency has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation and made a determination that this further action is not necessary to protect the interests of the Government.

HHS recipients must comply with all terms and conditions outlined in their grant award, including grant policy terms and conditions contained in applicable Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Grant Policy Statements, and requirements imposed by program statutes and regulations and HHS grant administration regulations, as applicable; as well as any regulations or limitations in any applicable appropriations acts.

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**SPREADSHEET SUMMARY**

**GRANT NUMBER:** 1U62PS003962-01

**INSTITUTION:** LOS ANGELES COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT

<b>Budget</b>	<b>Year 1</b>	<b>Year 2</b>	<b>Year 3</b>	<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Year 5</b>
Salaries and Wages	\$529,456				
Fringe Benefits	\$239,201				
Personnel Costs (Subtotal)	\$768,657				
Supplies	\$9,854				
Travel Costs	\$9,960				
Other Costs	\$42,500				
Consortium/Contractual Cost	\$27,614				
<b>TOTAL FEDERAL DC</b>	<b>\$858,585</b>	<b>\$2,484,815</b>	<b>\$2,484,815</b>	<b>\$2,484,815</b>	<b>\$2,484,815</b>
<b>TOTAL FEDERAL F&amp;A</b>	<b>\$135,341</b>				
<b>TOTAL COST</b>	<b>\$993,926</b>	<b>\$2,484,815</b>	<b>\$2,484,815</b>	<b>\$2,484,815</b>	<b>\$2,484,815</b>

## Exhibit II

### COUNTY PERSONNEL FULL TIME EQUIVALENTS

Research Analyst III (RA III) position: To design, develop, establish, and evaluate an ongoing system to accurately track the National HIV/AIDS Strategy (NHAS) core indicators and other public health measures for HIV using both provider reports and laboratory reports in the HIV/AIDS Reporting System (eHARS). As such, the RA III will be the lead person in developing programs and procedures to monitor the completeness and quality of laboratory test reports; in designing and constructing a secure shared database to inventory, track and follow-up on linkage to care patterns among persons reported with HIV; and in preparing reports and disseminating the statistics and important findings on NHAS-defined and other health care measures, including community viral load and morbidity trends to assist the planning of prevention programs.

Research Analyst II (RA II) position: To assist in developing programs and procedures to monitor the completeness and quality of laboratory test reports; assist in designing and constructing a secure shared database to inventory, track and follow-up on linkage to care patterns among persons reported with HIV; process electronically reported HIV case reports from public-funded testing and counseling sites, patient registry from Ryan White care-funded care sites, including data conversion, de-coding, mapping, data validation and cleaning, and case matching with existing eHARS records; and assist in preparing reports and disseminating the statistics and important findings on NHAS-defined and other health care measures, including community viral load and morbidity trends to assist the planning of prevention programs.

Research Analyst I (RA I) position: To assist with critical elements of HIV Incidence Surveillance (HIS), including "active" collection of testing and treatment history, conducting monitoring and evaluation of HIS data elements collected in clinic sites, working with laboratories to store and submit remnant sera for Serologic Testing Algorithm for Recent HIV Seroconversion (STARH) testing and transferring eligible specimens to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) designated laboratory.

Senior Typist Clerk position: To support the core HIV surveillance units with data entry and data validation, case search and de-duplication efforts, and perform quality control for data in the eHARS and laboratory surveillance system.

Research Analyst I (RA I) position: To be the Field Coordinator responsible for day-to-day supervision and guidance of the team of three Research Interviewers during formative research activities and data collection for the 2013 cycle of National HIV Behavioral Surveillance. Specifically, the RA I will be responsible for oversight of subject enrollment according to the respondent-driven sampling methods, for managing data collection protocols in the field, and for working with the Data Conversion Supervisor to upload all Personal Data Assistant data files to the proper Questionnaire Development System data warehouse. The RA I will report directly to the Project Coordinator and communicate with the CDC Project Officer during routine data quality calls and with other funded sites during monthly conference calls related to enhanced surveillance.

**Los Angeles County Chief Administrative Office  
Grant Management Statement for Grants Exceeding \$100,000**

**Department:** Public Health – Division of HIV and STD Programs

**Grant Project Title and Description:** HIV Case Surveillance and HIV Incidence Surveillance for Los Angeles County for the continuation of HIV/AIDS surveillance activities to collect and report prevalence and incidence cases of HIV and AIDS diagnosed at medical care facilities and HIV testing sites throughout Los Angeles County.

<b>Funding Agency:</b>  Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	<b>Program (Fed. Grant #State Bill or Code #):</b>  Notice of Award Number 1 U62PS003962-01	<b>Grant Acceptance Deadline:</b>  asap
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**Total Amount of Grant Funding:** \$993,926

**County Match Requirements:** None

**Grant Period:** 01/01/13- 12/31/17

**Begin Date:** 01/01/13 **End Date:** 12/31/13

**Number of Personnel Hired Under this Grant:** **Full Time:** 2 **Part Time:** 0

**Obligations Imposed on the County When the Grant Expires**

Will all personnel hired for this program be informed this is a grant funded program? Yes ☒ No ☐

Will all personnel hired for this program be placed on temporary "N" items? Yes ☒ No ☐

Is the County obligated to continue this program after the grant expires? Yes ☐ No ☒

If the County is not obligated to continue this program after the grant expires, the Department will:

a). Absorb the program cost without reducing other services Yes ☐ No ☒

b). Identify other revenue sources Yes ☐ No ☒

(Describe)

c). Eliminate or reduce, as appropriate, positions/program costs funded by this grant Yes ☒ No ☐

Impact of additional personnel on existing space: None

Other requirements not mentioned above: None

Department Head Signature

*Cynthia A. Hernandez*

Date

*4/2/13*